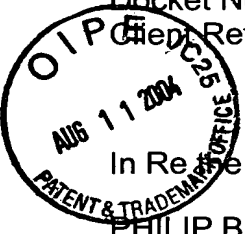


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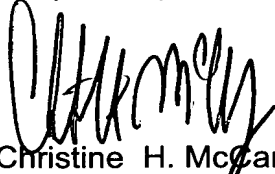
Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.56, the attention of the Patent and Trademark Office is hereby directed to the references listed on the attached PTO-1449. Unless otherwise indicated herein, one copy of each reference is attached. It is respectfully requested that the information be expressly considered during the prosecution of this application, and that the references be made of record therein and appear among the "References Cited" on any patent to issue therefrom. Applicants respectfully request the Examiner return an initialed copy of the enclosed Form PTO-1449 to Applicants with the next Office communication to indicate that the references has been considered, per MPEP § 609.

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The references were cited in a Japanese Office Action, dated June 30, 2004, in a counterpart foreign application. An English language version of the Japanese Office Action is attached for the Examiner's information.

A concise explanation of the relevance of each of three Japanese language references is given in the English Abstract attached thereto. U.S. Patent No. 6,230,021 is the counterpart of Japanese reference, 10-322259, and is submitted in lieu of an English Abstract for the Examiner's consideration.

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